

### ELGIN FAMILY HAS A REUNION

ELGIN, Mar. 21.—The Cummins family held a reunion at the home of Luther Cummins last Sunday. A son-in-law, Thomas Williams, and family plan to leave soon for their home in Canada. Besides the members of the family who live at Elgin, a daughter from Cove was also present.

**Farewell Party Given.**  
Members of the Christian church and other friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Herbert Daron last Saturday for a farewell party for Mrs. Ben Brugger. Mr. and Mrs. Brugger left for the camps north of Elgin, where Mr. Brugger will be employed. Those present spent a very pleasant afternoon.

Fred Hall has just finished constructing a garage and workshop at his home in the western part of town. Being an especially well built and planned structure, it adds materially to the appearance of that part of town.

Price Gates, the pioneer veterinarian of Union county, is spending some time in the vicinity of Elgin. He has his headquarters at the R. J. Green farm south of town.

Roy Townsend and Frank Clark have moved their shoe repair shop to the old real estate building east of the city hall.

Jeese Crum has been suffering from an attack of flu for the past week and although somewhat improved at present, is not able to attend to his work at his office.

Mrs. E. E. Voth and daughter Betty Mae spent the week-end in La Grande with the J. K. Wright family.

Frank Hallgarth and Soapy Davis left last Thursday for Salt Lake City and other Utah points in search of a business location. They returned on the following Tuesday, having found nothing that exactly suited them.

Mrs. Glenn Barnes was an overnight visitor in La Grande on Thursday, returning to Elgin Friday morning.

Mrs. Flora Durham and son Murray returned to Elgin Friday morning after spending the winter in California.

Mr. Leighton is having the building formerly occupied by the Frank Clark family refurnished to provide living quarters for himself. Being near the hardware store, it will be convenient for Mr. Leighton, whose health is not the best at present. He may rent his present house for a few months.

Tom Maxwell was an Elgin visitor on Thursday.

### NORTH POWDER NEWSY BUDGET

NORTH POWDER, Mar. 21.—A number of the members of the North Powder Rebekah lodge were entertained by the Rebekahs of Baker Saturday.

The O. A. C. band arrived here Sunday and gave a concert at the Bungalow theatre.

Miss Hester Fisher entertained a number of friends Thursday evening at a house party.

Kenneth McGrath was confined to his home last week, due to illness. Emory Pearson was absent from school several days with yellow jaundice.

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The skeleton has excited lively interest on account of the size and the maturity of the teeth and skull bones which one physician said showed none of the evidences of immaturity of an infant's cranium.

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